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The Lost Expedition.

Lift—lift, ye mists, from off the silent coast,
Folded in endless winter's chill embraces;
Unshroud for us awhile our brave ones lost;
Let us behold their faces.

In vain—the North has hid them from our sight:
The snow their winding sheet—their only dirges
The groan of icebergs in the polar night
Rocked by the savage surges.

No funeral torches with a smoky glare
Shone a farewell upon their shrouded faces;
No monumental pillar tall and fair
Towers o'er their resting places.

But northern streamers flare the long night through
Over the cliffs stupendous, fraught with peril,
Of icebergs, tinted with a ghostly hue
Of amethyst and beryl.

No human tears upon their graves are shed—
Tears of domestic love, or pity holy;
But snow-flakes from the gloomy sky o'erhead,
Down shuddering, settle slowly.

Yet history shrines them with her mighty dead,
The hero seamen of this Isle of Britain,
And, when the brighter scroll of Heaven is read,
There will their names be written.

—*Thomas Hood.*

[*From the Boston Traveler.*]

Another Future for British North America.

Should it be the fate of the American Union to go to pieces at an early day, and the slaveholders and the democracy are doing their best to break it up, England would become the greatest power in North America, and would virtually rule the whole country. Her North American possessions already contain several millions of people, who are full of life, conscious of their destinies, and well governed. Canada, to speak collectively, is said to grow much faster than the United States, her growth for some time would become yet faster than ever it has been, in comparison with ours. The formation of a Federal Union, if wisdom should guide the formation, would accelerate the development of the resources and power of Canada. As there must be a railway made from the Atlantic to the Pacific, and that soon, too, and as it could not be made on our soil, after the breaking up of the Union, for nobody would have any confidence in us, and it would require a generation to establish a new order of things here, after we should have made a shipwreck of our country through our folly,—it would have to be made in British North America, which would give additional power to that region, and to the great empire of which Canada would be but a part. This would give to England the command of the North Pacific, whence communication with the China and Indian seas would be very easy. From appearances, England would become greater than ever she has been, and would be, in a certain sense, England and America. It is to be observed, that this would happen from no improper conduct, but would follow from natural causes. England has done nothing to encourage those political bigots who are seeking the destruction of the American nation. Nay, she has done all that she properly could to discourage them, and to turn them from the error of their ways.

Through the great organs of English opinion, the Southern ultras have been informed that England has no sympathy with them and their cause, and that she condemns their conduct. Time was, and it is not very long ago, either, when the occurrence of such troubles as now encompass us would have been turned to account by some rival nation; but all that has been changed, and England now pursues toward us the same magnanimous course that she pursued in 1835. Then we were apparently on the eve of a war with France, and from the occurrence of such a war England might have gained largely; but she stepped in as a mediator, and effected the return to a good understanding between the United States and France. Now, she shows the same friendly feeling when we are threatened with civil troubles. What more could she do? She is content to be great with us, but she could not be expected to disregard the capabilities of her North American possessions, should we choose to abdicate our position. Some nation must take the lead in North American affairs, and that nation must be strong both by land and by sea, and successful in the Pacific as well as in the Atlantic Ocean. It must be a nation of commercial capabilities and tastes, and able to control capital. All this answers to our case; but if we prefer to quarrel about the "rights of the South," and to break up the Union rather than circumscribe the area of Slavery, England must take our place, and become the first of American nations, as she is now the first of European nations. She strives not for our place, but it will be madness in us to expect her not to strive for what we shall deliberately throw away if the secessionists succeed.

There is work to be done on this continent that must be done; and if one branch of the imperial race will not do it, it must be done by the other branch of that race—the senior branch. It is yet for Americans to say whether they shall take the lead in America, or whether they will concede it to their elder brethren. Considering how transcendently we have boasted and claimed superiority on every proper and improper occasion, it would be most mortifying to be compelled to fall back and to make way even for the British. But that is what must happen if we consent to a dissolution of the Union, either because we are afraid to fight, or because some gentlemen urge the wickedness of not allowing rebellion to prosper. We would not give up, but would maintain the Union as it is, without change, and so prepare the way for the complete triumph of Americans in America. The next best thing for us of the Northeastern States would be the ascendancy of England on this continent, and that is what must happen if the United States shall be false to their trust, and the Union be changed into half a dozen weak and ricketty Confederacies.

Marriages during War and Peace.

It is an established fact that the number of marriages in time of peace is greater than in time of war; and even when the chances of war are imminent the number of marriages are found to diminish. In 1823, 40,000 marriages were solemnized in France more than in the five years of the occupation of that country by allied forces. In Russia, notwithstanding the indifference of the population to political affairs, there were in 1812 from 70,000 to 80,000 marriages less than in the years preceding.

A fact worthy of remark, and a very curious one, is the prodigious increase in population since the commencement of the present century. The following figures show a most remarkable disproportion between each other:—

	Inhabitants.
In 1700 France contained	19,669,520
In 1762 " "	21,769,163
In 1804 " "	27,349,003

And at the present day the number of the inhabitants of that country exceeds 36,000,000. The great increase seems owing to the introduction of vaccination, which, by lessening the chances of death, has exercised by that means an indirect action on the number of births. As regards the mean duration of life in France, vaccination has certainly had a tendency to prolong it; for, before the great revolution, the mean duration was only 28½ years, whereas now it is 31½ years.

An infinity of causes may influence the number of births, but one of the principal, no doubt, exists in the state of the climate. It may be remarked that the nearer we approach the equator the greater the fecundity of women. The following table shows the result of observations made with regard to the number of children for each 1000 families in the different States of Europe:

	Children.
In the kingdom of the Two Sicilies	5546
In Venice	5454
In the kingdom of Wurtemberg	5433
In the kingdom of Bohemia	5206
In the kingdom of Portugal	5184
In the Milanese	5007
In the grand duchy of Hesse	4815
In Austria	4725
In Holland	4670
In the grand duchy of Mecklenberg	4639
In the kingdom of Prussia	4570
In Russia	4537
In France	4148
In Hanover	4121
In Sweden	4112
In Norway	3965
In Holstein	3739
In Denmark	3693
In the Britanic Isles	3065

From the above table it is manifest that there is a decrease in fecundity as we advance towards the north. The difference is especially striking between Naples and Great Britain, which are at the two extremities of the scale. The results here shown, it will be seen, appertain only to the European States; but the difference will be found even more striking between countries more opposed in climate. Thus in Greenland, according to the accounts of travellers, 1000 familes scarcely comprise 2000 children, whilst in Brazil 1000 families include about 4400 children; and we may easily imagine with what rapidity populations would be doubled in hot climates if the terrible epidemics peculiar to them were not so frequently decimating them.

It is calculated that in all Europe the male population would, judging from the births, surpass the female by four millions, if this excess was not daily counteracted by the numerous accidents to which the males are exposed, and which so materially diminish their number.

According to the statistical tables of Dr. Peterman, of Berlin, the population of Spain (or more properly the subjects of the Spanish monarchy), may be numbered at 15,514,397. Of these 263,216 are in the Balearic Islands, and 216,897 in the Canary Islands.

The census of the population of Egypt, taken by order of the Viceroy, has just been completed, and gives the following result:—The population, which in 1798 was 2,500,000, amounted in 1817 to 3,700,000, in 1847 to 4,250,000, and is now 5,125,000. The inhabitants in Alexandria, which in 1798 only amounted in number to 30,000, and increased in 1817 to 230,000, are now near 400,000.

ANACHRONISMS IN ART.—The gossiping Paris correspondent of the New York *Express* gives the following:

A Parisian artist of considerable talent, but whose early education would appear to have been somewhat neglected—at least in chronology—has excited the satirical ridicule of the critics by a *soi-disant* historical painting he has lately terminated. The new work purports to represent Christopher Columbus on his voyage of discovery to America. The illustrious navigator is seen, standing on the deck of his vessel, in an attitude of deep meditation, smoking a fragrant *Havana!* This is a laughable anachronism, certainly; but the Paris painter may find consolation in the reflection that the history of art furnishes famous precedents for the commission of chronological blunders. In one of Van Dyke's pictures, entitled the *Sacrifice of Abraham*, the venerable patriarch is taking aim with a *musket* at his son Isaac; and even the immortal Raphael has left a work representing St. John the Baptist, as a child, gazing at the infant Jesus, and clasping a *cross* in his hand.

AN OLD TRICK OF SAXONY.—A few years ago, a Mr. Paget, an Englishman, was resident in Dresden, and engaged on a history of the struggle in Hungary—since published and much admired. In the dead of night the authorities of Dresden broke into his house, and carried off the greater part of his MS. This unwarrantable proceeding against an English subject brought a strong remonstrance from the English Ambassador, and procured, by way of excuse, that "the Emperor of Austria was curious to see what an Englishman had to say about the Hungarian revolution, and they felt constrained to gratify the Emperor's wish."

GOOD FEELING BETWEEN THE BORDER FREE AND SLAVE STATES.—It is as pleasant as odd to notice, in these threatening times, an act of fraternization between the people of a free and a slave State. The Frankfort *Yeoman*, the official paper at the seat of government of Kentucky, says that the first regiment of organized militia of Indiana, through its officers, has tendered its services to Governor Magoffin, to assist in quelling servile insurrections, or other unlawful outbreaks, and to oppose abolition raids, if any should threaten Kentucky.

☞ A report is current that John Brown, Jr., son of old Ossawatamie, who was hanged for the Harper's Ferry business, is engaged in organizing a band of desperadoes, for an invasion of the South at the most critical point, in hopes of precipitating a war between the twe sections. Whether true or not a large number of Republican papers in Ohio and Indiana have had the justice to advise their readers to be on the watch for such an event and to exterminate Brown and his whole force at the first symptom of an organization for such a purpose.

BAD LEGS, BAD BREASTS, AND ULCERS.—The treatment erroneously pursued in these cases, is to drive the disease inwards, thus making matters far worse than by allowing it to take its natural course, as it only breaks out elsewhere with an aspect ten times more dreadful than before. Holloway's celebrated Ointment and Pills, however, act in conjuction, the one internally and the other externally, and by the conjoint action of these two inestimable specifics, all descriptions of external diseases are speedily and radically removed, even when all other means fail.

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THE DWELLING HOUSE AT ESQUIMALT Harbor, occupied by Mr Munro, with outhouses and about an acre of ground. For particulars apply to MR. MUNRO, or to MR. COCHRANE, Estate Agent, Victoria.
Victoria, Feb. 25, 1861. fe28 1m

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The party renting will have the privilege of purchasing six milch cows, one spring wagon, horse and harness, and all the necessary gardening implements
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J. THOMAS,
fe5 tf Hope.

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FOR A LONG TERM, A LOT ON LANGLEY Street.
Apply to W. CULVERWELL,
fe27 tf Cor. Langley and Yates streets.

To Rent! To Rent!

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TO RENT—THE FIREPROOF BRICK STORE in the "Colonist Building," Government street, near the Post Office; will be rented low, if application be made at once. It is well fitted with Counter and Shelves for a Grocer or Dry Goods man.
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NOTICES.

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between John Thomas Howard and Lewis Davies, under the firm and style of Howard & Davies, Liquor Merchants and Hotel Keepers, Esquimalt, is this day dissolved by mutual consent
The business in future will be carried on by John Thomas Howard, who is duly authorized and empowered to settle all accounts due to and by the late firm.
JOHN T. HOWARD.
LEWIS DAVIES.
Esquimalt, V. I., Feb. 25th, 1861. fe28

NOTICE.

BOAT FOUND.—ABOUT TWO MILES from Victoria, on 24th February, a small boat, 16 feet long, with "VICTORIA" painted in red letters on the stern, and a red stripe round the gunwale. The owner may have the same by applying at R. & J. HENDERSON'S, No. 23 Wharf street, and paying expenses. If not claimed within 14 days from this date, it will be sold to defray expenses.
Victoria, V. I., Feb. 26, 1861. fe27 3t

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS WHO HAVE LEFT Watches or Jewelry in my Establishment for repair, are publicly notified that I will close out my business within forty days, and leave the country; consequently they are requested to call and get what belongs to them without delay. After the 15th I will take no more work.
fe5 1m A. FASSORIER.

NOTICE.

AT THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Stockholders of the British Columbia and Victoria Steam Navigation Company, held at the office of Messrs. Samuel Price & Co., the following gentlemen were elected directors for the ensuing year:
ALEX. C ANDERSON, CHAIRMAN,
ROBERT BURNABY,
ALEX. SOMERVILLE,
WILLIAM IRVING,
EDWARD GREEN,
JAMES N. THAIN, SECRETARY.
Victoria, V. I., Feb 25, 1861. fe26

Victoria Gas Company (Limited.)

NOTICE OF CALL.

STOCKHOLDERS OF THE ABOVE mentioned Company are hereby notified that the first call of twenty-five per cent. on the subscribed capital must be paid within twenty-one days from this date, February 22d, at the office of the company, according to the Joint Stock Company's Act.
By order of the Directors,
A. F. MAIN, SEC'Y.
OFFICE.—Corner Yates and Langley Sts. fe22 3w

Dissolution of Co-Partnership.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the co-partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the name and style of CLINK & BURNES, at the Bowling Saloon, Waddington Alley, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts due by the firm must be presented to MR. ALEX. CLINK for payment, and all persons indebted to the firm are requested to settle the same immediately with the same party. The business will be continued as heretofore, by Mr. Clink, who will be happy to see all his old friends.
ALEXANDER CLINK.
fe18-1m THOS. J. BURNES.

REMOVAL.

G. VIGNOLO HAS REMOVED HIS place of business from Johnson street, to the Fireproof Brick Building, corner of Yates and Wharf streets.
G. VIGNOLO,
fe9 tf Corner Wharf and Yates streets.

Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between ALFRED FELLOWS and ARTHUR FELLOWS, of No. 20 Yates street, Victoria, Iron Merchants and General Hardware Dealers, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.
The business will in future be carried on by ALFRED FELLOWS, to whom all claims against the late firm should be sent in before Saturday, the 16th inst. It is also requested that all accounts due the late firm may be settled as early as possible.
ALFRED FELLOWS,
ARTHUR FELLOWS.
20 Yates street, Victoria, V. I., 8th February, 1861. fe9 1m

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL LEAVE for England in about two weeks, returning in the Fall, and will be happy to undertake commissions for purchasing goods or otherwise.
ARTHUR FELLOWS.
February 7th, 1861. fe9 2w

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AN EVENING SCHOOL FOR ADULTS, in charge of the undersigned, will at once be commenced for four Evenings in the week, offering the means of instruction in—
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Fishing Nets.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING BEEN appointed sole agents for the manufactures of Messrs. J. & W. Stuart of Musselburgh, have now to offer for sale a quantity of fishing nets, of various sized meshes, to which the attention of fishermen is particularly directed. Apply to
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10 casks Oregon Cider,
200 cases Old Tom,
20 cases Davenport's Wheat Whisky,
25 cases Duff Gordon's Pale Sherry.
25 cases Superior Brandy.
30 cases Booth & Sedgwick's Gin,
25 cases Cherry Cordial,
15 cases asserted Syrups,
25 casks Old Bourbon Whisky,
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VICTORIA, Nov. 17th, 1860.

Friday Morning, March 1, 1861.

English vs. Colonial Immigration.

"If we could get a start from England, very soon an immigration would spring up, and the popular feeling would be so great that England would grant us our liberties without our having to fight for them, which is likely to be the case if a number of colonists are added to the population without any English to keep them in order."

The foregoing is an extract from a communication in the Liverpool *Mercury*, signed "An Occasional Correspondent," and dated from New Westminster. The writer's views on the general state of the country, and the political disabilities and annoyances to which the people are subjected, arising from the withholding from them by the Imperial and local authorities those rights and privileges to which, as intelligent freemen, they are justly entitled, are in the main correct, and will doubtless have an influence for good on the minds of the English people Were Englishmen and everybody else in these colonies to take a similar common-sense view of affairs, and exert their influence in favor of the adoption of a more liberal and enlightened system of government—to speak out boldly in condemnation of Executive and Legislative misrule, such as the people here are compelled to endure, a salutary change for the better would soon take place, and a brighter day dawn upon the country.

While we express our approval of the main object and general tenor of the writer's remarks to whom we refer—his open, frank denunciations of governmental incompetency and the blindness and inconsistency of the policy pursued by the Imperial Government toward these colonies—we very widely differ from him in reference to the imputation which he casts upon the loyalty of that portion of our population who have found their way here from the neighboring colonial possessions. That it is highly desirable that steps should be taken to promote and encourage immigration to this country from England, we most readily admit, and shall with the greatest pleasure lend our influence to the furtherance of any feasible scheme having this object in view. Intelligent, hardy, industrious English, Irish or Scotch immigrants, are a class of people much required to settle and build up a new country like ours; but they do not constitute the *only* people whom it is desirable to encourage hither. They are comparatively but poorly adapted to discharge the duties devolving upon them as colonists, in a social and political point of view. Coming directly from England, where municipal institutions are of a stereotyped character and not at all suited to the requirements and exigencies of a new country, they lack that political discipline, personal independence, and self-reliance which is a characteristic of the immigrant from the Eastern British Provinces. These have acquired their knowledge of political affairs in the school of practical experience—they know better than raw Englishmen, who have never been out of sight of their parish church spire, what they are entitled to as free and intelligent citizens, and what will most conduce to the advancement of the country's interests, the development of its resources, and the contentment and happiness of the people. Hence they are pre-eminently the most desirable class of immigrants that we can have, bringing with them as they do a greater degree of general intelligence and practical knowledge on subjects relating to colonial affairs.

The fears of "An Occasional Correspondent" for the future peace of the country, in the event of an accession of the "colonial element" to our population without a sufficient number of English to "keep them in order," are quite unfounded. There is not much danger of a rebellion on their part, as they understand perfectly well all the privileges to which they are entitled, and just the steps necessary to be taken in order to acquire them. They understand the potency of free discussion, on the stand and through the press, as a means to redress grievances, without resorting to forcible and unlawful measures to gain their wishes. Hence there will be but little necessity to import Englishmen here to keep the colonials "in order." But little apprehension need be felt that we shall have too many colonials amongst us; we shall need them, however, were it only to indoctrinate their English cousins with more liberal ideas on their arrival here, to leaven them with a spirit of greater independence, to instil into their minds the principles of self-government, and to prepare them to discharge the duties of colonists in an intelligent and becoming manner.

In the Eastern Provinces the English immigrant has to undergo a thorough system of training before he becomes acquainted with the nature and adaptability of colonial politics; but once imbued with liberal and progressive principles, having once tasted the fruits of perfect political and religious equality, and exercised the rights and privileges of a freeman, no man is more jealous of any undue interference with those rights, or will more sternly resist the slightest encroachment thereupon from any quarter. We shall consequently ever be ready to extend a hearty welcome to the immigrant from England, not because we deem him a more loyal and peaceable subject than his Nova Scotian or Canadian brother, but for his moral and physical worth, in furthering the work of opening up the country, clearing her forests, making her roads, building her bridges, cultivating her soil, developing her resources, increasing her trade, extending her commerce, and laying the foundation for her future prosperity and greatness, by bequeathing to posterity, in addition to all these, the inestimable blessings of a liberal and enlightened system of government—an extended franchise, elective institutions, and making the governing power responsible to the people governed.

But our desires are not confined exclusively either to British or Colonial immigrants. We have abundance of room for all who may choose to come,—American, French, German, or Italian,—and laying aside all considerations as to probable consequences which might ensue hereafter from having a too large sprinkling of the foreign element amongst us, we shall hail their advent on our shores with unfeigned satisfaction, and bid them a hearty welcome.

We do want, however, to see such sectional names as Englishman, Irishman, Scotchman, Canadians, New Brunswickers, Nova Scotians, Germans, French, or Americans, all sunk in the more expressive term British colonist. We want no local jealousies based on birthplace; but let us act and speak as Vancouverians or British Columbians—as men who have dropped the local prejudices of our birthplace, and take a greater and juster pride in being considered a part and parcel of the land of our adoption—the Pacific colonies. Except we can identify ourselves with the land of our adoption—whether we be English, Colonial, or foreign—the progress of the colony will be slow indeed. Our population will be divided into patches, and our imported prejudices act as a serious obstacle to consolidation in one common feeling,—the social, political, and material advancement of the country. We therefore look upon all who cultivate and array sectional feeling against sectional feeling, as public enemies; and will deal with them accordingly.

A FAREWELL.—We understand that many warm friends of A. G. Dallas, Esq., intend to entertain him this evening at the Colonial. During the three years and over which Mr. Dallas has acted as Chief Manager of the Hudson Bay and Puget Sound Company's affairs here—and which in some respects have clashed with the interests of the Colony—he has personally, by his urbanity and probity, earned the hearty respect of all classes. He expects to leave on the next steamer for Canada, there to fill the Governorship—temporarily, if not permanently—of the Hudson Bay Company's Territories, made vacant by the death of Sir Geo. Simpson. Thus, between him and Gov. Douglas, in one family, will be found the Governors of a territory larger than the United States, or even greater than all Europe. Few of our residents have done more to advance the interests of Victoria than Mr. Dallas, of which the huge six-story brick warehouse of the Company will long remain a monument of his enterprise; and it is, therefore, with regret that we part with such a valuable citizen; but we hope that in his wider field of usefulness he may be the recipient of greater honors than the large and select company of friends who celebrate his departure with a farewell dinner at the Colonial, this evening, may have it in their power to confer.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

CARD OF THANKS.

AT A MEETING OF THE EXCELsior Gymnastic Club on Wednesday Evening, Feb. 27th, the following resolution was unanimously adopted, viz:

"RESOLVED, That a vote of thanks be tendered Mr. J. Bell, for his liberality in presenting this Association with Lock and Keys for their new building."

Victoria, V. I., Feb 28th, 1861. mal 1t

WM. BURRINGTON SMITH,

IMPORTER AND DEALER IN

FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC

Groceries, Provisions,

and General Oilmen's Stores,

Purveyor to His Excellency the Governor and to H. B. M. Navy,

GOVERNMENT STREET,

Opposite the Colonial Hotel, Victoria, V. I.

☞ Office of Wilby's Victoria and Esquimalt Express. mal 1m

LESTER & GIBBS

HAVE JUST RECEIVED EX "W. B. SCRANTON," and recent arrivals:

50 boxes Candles;
100 bbls Self-Rising & Golden Gate Flour;
3000 lbs Bacon (choice);
25 firkins Hope Butter;
20 sacks Java Coffee;
25 sacks Rio Coffee;
10 chests superior Black Tea;
20 bbls Crushed Sugar;
Lobsters; Oysters;
Worcester Sauce; J & H Lard;
Pickles; Syrup, &c. &c.

In store and for sale at low rates by

LESTER & GIBBS,

Yates street, near Waddington.

N. B.—A choice lot of FRESH BUTTER for Family use. mal-tf

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

FOR SALE LOW,

NAILS, SUGAR, BARLEY, OATS, BRAN, MIDDLINGS. In lots to suit purchasers, wholesale and retail, by

S. ANDERSON,

mal 1m Cor. of Broad and View Sts.

Hurrah for Cheap Living

OPPOSITION TO ALL,

AT FRANK'S (formerly Miner's) RESTAURANT,

On Waddington Alley, near Yates street.

FRANK FABER HAVING GREATLY enlarged his Culinary Department, takes pleasure in informing the public generally that he will, after the first of January, open his Restaurant in an entirely new style. He will thereafter lay on his Tables, a bill of Fare, so that his customers can eat whatsoever best suits their taste. Having had many year's experience in his business, and taking the head of the Cooking Department himself, he feels assured that none can give better or cheaper meals than him. All the delicacies as well as the substantials of the season at from 6¼ to 12½ cents a plate. mal tf

MAMMOTH

GIFT

ENTERTAINMENT!

AT THE

New Theatre!

VICTORIA, V. I.,

On Saturday Even'g, March 23d, 1861,

UNDER THE DIRECTION OF D. SHELDON,

on which occasion, in addition to a Grand

LYRIC AND DRAMATIC PERFORMANCE,

by many talented Artistes

83 MAGNIFICENT PRIZES!!

Valued at $2,500,

will be distributed among the Ticket-holders on the Evening of the last performance.

A Committee of gentlemen will be chosen by the audience to see that the prizes are properly distributed among the ladies and gentlemen, who are sharers in this grand affair.

The prizes will be on exhibition at Mr. E. H. Vauenberg's Jewelry Store, Yates street, where tickets may be obtained, and seats secured. Ladies and gentlemen are respectfully requested to call and examine the articles.

P. S. Previous to the Grand Gift Entertainment of March 23d, will be given one or more Dramatic Performances, (under the direction of Mr. Sheldon,) at which purchasers of tickets with numbers, will be entitled to a share in the prizes.

Tickets may be obtained at the principal Stores and Saloons in Victoria, British Columbia, and at Puget Sound. fe27 td

ESTATE

OF THE LATE JAMES SANGSTER.

MESSRS. FRANKLIN ARE INSTRUCTED to sell BY AUCTION on Wednesday, the 6th of March, at 12 o'clock, M., the well known residence and land occupied formerly by James Sangster, deceased, and being Section VII as marked on the official map of Esquimalt District; said land having a frontage of 865 links on Royal Bay, and containing about 20 acres, part of which has been under cultivation. fe26

—ALSO—

THAT DESIRABLE RESIDENCE

situated at the corner of

ALFRED AND COOK ST.,

NEAR PANDORA STREET.

The property consists of a well built house, nearly new, stable &c, and a well of water, and comprises 5 subdivision lots of five acre Lot No. XIX. A picket fence encloses the premises. The view is commanding, and the soil well adapted for a garden or orchard.

—ALSO—

Lot 1051, Johnson street
Lot 1052, Johnson street
Lot 546, Quebec street
Lot 21 and 22, Subdivision of 5 acre Lot No. 6.

TERMS—10 per cent. deposit at time of sale. fe28

NATHAN POINTER,

IMPORTER AND DEALER IN

Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods

GOVERNMENT STREET,

in the lower story of

British Colonist Fire-Proof Building,

Two doors South of the Post Office, Victoria, V. I.,

Is now prepared to offer the largest assortment of Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods ever exhibited in Victoria, consisting of Messrs. Davis & Jones' Patent Shirts, (of New York), and L. Atkinson's Improved Shoulder Seam Patent Shirts, (of Philadelphia)

Just received, the latest styles of

BALTIC SHIRTS,

from London. Also, a fine lot of pure Baltic Stockings and Hose, Gents Shaker Flannel Undershirts and Drawers. Also, a fine lot of Derby and Saxony

Wool Shirts and Drawers,

White and Colored Marseilles Shirts, a full assortment Gents Superfine Manchester Gingham Shirts, a magnificent assortment of

GENTS SILK SCARFS,

a new style of Gents Fine Cassimere Comforters and Opera Scarfs, the latest styles of Davis & Jones' celebrated superfine patent

White and Colored Shirts,

and is also receiving by every Steamer those beautiful

BYRON SHIRTS,

of all sizes, varying from 13 to 20 inches around the neck. Ladies should call and examine those

Baltic Stockings,

for winter wear. Orders sent through Express for Shirts, by sending the size of the neck, I will guarantee to fit. Orders filled for all parts of

British Columbia & Puget Sound.

I shall receive fresh Goods by every arrival from London. Ladies' and Gentlemen's Kid Gloves, ex Grecian. A fine lot of

GENTLEMEN'S GLOVES,

for the Fall and Winter trade.

—ALSO—

a fine lot of Ladies' and Gentlemen's Silk Umbrellas, high finish. The Gloves consist of some 75 dozen pairs, of various kinds. The Crimean Blue Overshirts, weighing two and a half pounds, with double backs. We study to please. Business hours, from 6 A. M., to 10 P. M. fe28 6m

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Industrial Exhibition.

A MEETING OF THE GENERAL COMmittee will be held at the Society Office, next door to the Post Office, on Friday next, the 1st March, at 7 o'clock P. M.

CHAS B. WOOD } Honorary
JOSEPH W. TRUTCH, } Secretaries.

RELIAB LE SEEDS.

GARDEN SEEDS!

FIELD SEEDS

FLOWER SEEDS!

A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF THE above, all of the growth of last season, and from the most famous Nurseries of England and America, have just been received, and will be sold at reasonable rates by

LANGLEY BROS.,

DRUGGISTS,

fe23 Yates street, Victoria.

Seeds! Seeds! Seeds!

Spring Seed Wheat,
Native and Foreign Garden Seeds, and
Grass Seeds, WARRANTED.

FOR SALE BY

D. LENEVU,

fe15 1m Produce Store, Johnson street.

Havana Segars,

Ex. STEAMER OREGON.

FIGARO,	Regalia	Britanica.
LEGITIMIDAD,	"	"
ACUERDO	"	"
MANUEL REYNA,	"	"
WASHINGTON IRVING,	"	"

For sale in lots to suit, by

fe23 2p-1w SUTRO & CO.

A. HOFFMAN,

Cor. Yates and Government Sts.

IN ORDER TO MAKE ROOM FOR MY large stock of Spring and Summer goods now on the way, I am determined to sell for the next four weeks my entire stock now in store at great bargains. Call soon and be convinced of the truth of the above assertion.

Just received, per last steamer, a beautiful assortment of ladies' head dresses and chemille nets, of the latest style. Also, those very fashionable gold-worked bellribbons, black silk velvets, ladies' cloth, black ribbed silks, and gross d' Naples, all of which I will sell CHEAP FOR CASH.

fe10 1m2p A. HOFFMAN.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

To Engineers, Contractors and Builders.

LANDS AND WORKS OFFICE,
VICTORIA, V. I., 18th February, 1861.

PLANS, SPECIFICATIONS, AND ACcompanying Tenders, will be received at this Office from the 25th February to 4th March, for the erection of a Powder Magazine. The contractor for the building to have the privilege of storing all gunpowder, at the rate of twelve shillings and sixpence st'g. per ton, per month, for the space of ten years from the completion and acceptance of the work by the Surveyor-General. The site to be approved of by the Surveyor-General, and to be at a distance of not less than 3 miles from each of the Towns of Victoria and Esquimalt. All particulars to be obtained at the above office, where a copy of the Act authorizing the erection and privilege, may be seen.

By command of His Excellency the Governor.

B. W. PEARSE,

fe19 td Acting Surveyor-General.

FOR A FEW DAYS LONGER!

OR

Until the Steamer Arrives,

I offer for sale the balance of my stock, consisting of

GOLD AND SILVER

WATCHES,

SILVER SPOONS AND FORKS,

Ladies' and Gentlemens' Jewelry

of all kinds and the latest style,

BELOW SAN FRANCISCO COST.

TO CLOSE BUSINES.

N. B.—THE AUCTION SALE WILL NOT COME OFF,

therefore please give me an early call if you desire to

Save 40 Per Cent.

ON EVERY ARTICLE,

from what you can purchase them elsewhere.

fe20 6t WM. BIRNBAUM.

MISCELLANEOUS.

SEEDS!

FRESH

GARDEN SEEDS!

FROM THE

SHAKERS' GARDENS,

NEW YORK.

These Seeds can be relied upon as FRESH and true to their kind.

For sale by

CURTIS & MOORE.

FLOWER SEEDS!

A CHOICE COLLECTION

AND

GREAT VARIETY.

For sale by

CURTIS & MOORE.

Grass Seeds!

A large lot of

CLOVER AND TIMOTHY SEEDS.

For sale low by

CURTIS & MOORE.

DRUGGISTS,

fe18 1m 2dp Yates street, Victoria.

FURNITURE.

BY LATE ARRIVALS, THE UNDERsigned have received additions to their hitherto well-assorted stock of Furniture—and now offer

PAINTED SETS, ten pieces;
EXTENSION TABLES, 8 and 10 feet long;
CENTRE TABLES, Serpentine and round tops, assorted sizes;
CARD TABLES, harp and square pillars;
COMMON " 2½, 3 and 3½ long, with drawers; also Cherry, Walnut, and painted pine leaf tables;
BEDSTEADS, Mahogany French, Cottage, double and single;
LOUNGES, spring seats, in damask and leather covers;
SOFAS, spring seats, hair cloth, with round and pillow ends;
DESKS, with fall and door fronts;
CHEFFONIERS, walnut and mah'ny carved fronts, 3 shelves, fret work;
BUREAUS, one-half marble top, scroll and painted pine, 4 and 6 drawers;
WHAT-NOTS, walnut and mahogany, 5 and 6 shelves;
MIRRORS, in gilt and mahogany frames, assorted sizes, for parlors, chambers and saloons;
CHILDREN'S cribs and cradles, also high and low chairs, assorted patterns;
CHAIRS, mahogany hair cloth, spring seats, cane and wood seat, office, oak, dining, Grecian cane, heavy bar room, and common wood seats;
ROCKERS, spring seats, mahogany and cane seats and backs, sewing and arm;
SINKS, wash stands, chair cushions, coverlets, towel racks, willow cribs, &c.

—ALSO—

BEDDING,

Pulu, Curled Hair, Moss, Wool, and Straw Mattresses, best Feather Pillows, all sizes; in the manufacture of which we use none but the best materials, and guarantee our work.

PIERCE & SEYMOUR,

Broad street, between Yates and View.

Victoria, V. I., Feb 22. fe23-1m2p

FOR LOAN,

$900 IN ONE OR MORE SUMS.

Apply to

Mr. JOHN COPLAND,

fe23 Chambers, Yates street.

A. BLACKMAN,

NO. 14 YATES STREET,

OPPOSITE WADDINGTON ALLEY,

Respectfully informs the public of

Victoria and British Columbia

that he has the agency of the world-renowned

Tilton & McFarland's Salamander Fire-proof SAFES, Impenetrable to Drill or Chisel, with Combination Powder and Burglar Proof Locks, of which he has a Good Assortment on hand and will Sell at San Francisco Prices.

Manufacturer of all sorts of

TIN, COPPER, AND

SHEET-IRON WARE.

Keeps a good stock of

STOVES, HARDWARE, & WILLOW,

SILVER PLATED AND BRITANNIA

CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE.

TIN-ROOFING and all other JOBBING done in a good manner and at reasonable prices.

fe 13 1m2p A. BLACKMAN.

ED. LOWENBERG,

REAL ESTATE AGENT,

East side of Government st., bet. Yates & Johnson.

WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO selling, purchasing, and leasing property, to negotiating loans, and transacting everything connected with Real Estate business.

Maps of all the different Districts on the Island may be seen at his office. Parties desirous of purchasing Homesteads, or making investments, will find on my Bulletin Board Town Lots on nearly every street; Farming or Gardening Land in every District; some of which afford a rare chance for investment.

Conveyances, leases, &c., drawn up at reasonable rates fe23-tf

For Sale, ex Recent Arrivals:

FURNITURE.—A large assortment of superior English Furniture, consisting of Chairs, Marble and Mahogany Dressing Tables and Washstands, Book Cases, Side Boards, Looking Glasses, etc.

STATIONERY—A good assortment of Stationery—Letter, Note and Foolscap Papers, Copying Papers, Books and Presses, Blank Books, Envelopes, etc., etc.

And for sale by

fe8 1m JANION & GREEN.

WINES AND SPIRITS—The undersigned are receiving by nearly every vessel from England, shipments of first class Wines and Spirits, in bulk and cases, which they offer on reasonable terms.

fe8 1m JANION & GREEN.

ALE AND PORTER.—The undersigned, Agents for TAYLOR WALKER & CO.'S CELEBRATED PORTER, bottled at the Victoria Stores, have just received a shipment, in fine order, of their celebrated brand of Porter; also, Burton Brewery Ale, in hhds.

fe8 1m JANION & GREEN.

YORKSHIRE HAMS AND BACON—in fine order, just received and for sale by

fe8 1m JANION & GREEN.

THE BRITISH COLONIST

Friday Morning, March 1, 1861.

Vancouver Island Colony.

Statement of Revenue and Expenditure for the year ending December 31st, 1860:

HEADS OF RECEIPT.

	£	s.	d.
Harbor Dues,	2,127	11	7
Liquor Licenses,	3,851	17	6
Fines, Forfeitures & Fees of Court,	1,155	10	2
Postages,	347	14	2
Land Sales,	4,576	1	6
Trades Licenses,	472	0	0
Registration Fees,	15	0	0
Survey Fees,	22	0	0
Miscellaneous,	19	15	8
Refunds,		5	4
	£12,587	15	10
Government of British Columbia, for maintenance of Prisoners,	174	7	6
Total,	£12,762	3	4

HEADS OF EXPENDITURE.

Establishments.	£	s.	d.
Salaries—Temporary and provisional,	5,185	1	2
Do. do. Police and Jail Department,	1,406	19	5
Office contingencies,	624	2	0
Allowances,	12	16	1
	£7,228	18	8
Works and Buildings,	835	3	9
Transport,	94	12	4
Provisions and Fuel,	61	4	0
Conveyance of Mails,	90	11	6
Postages,	16	0	0
Rent,	48	0	0
Surveys,	209	18	9
Police & Jails (exclusive of salaries)	1,443	16	4
Administration of Justice,	260	4	10
Inquests,	33	5	8
Roads and Bridges,	68	15	1
Miscellaneous,	243	6	2
Purchase of Stores,	209	10	1
Interest,	11	12	10
Lighthouses Race Rocks and Fisguard, wages and expenses,	455	15	7
	£11,310	15	7
Balance against the Colony on the 31st December, 1859,	1,207	14	1
Balance in favor of the Colony on the 31st December, 1860,	243	13	8
Total,	£12,762	3	4

THE LATE COAL DISCOVERY.—The letter from Nanaimo, published yesterday, giving an account of the striking of a new vein of coal at Nanaimo, gives rise to the hope that other and still more extensive leads than any heretofore discovered may be struck in the same vicinity. By many it is believed—and with good reason—that the coal region extends along nearly the whole length of the West Coast of Vancouver Island. The numerous specimens brought to this city from hitherto unexplored portions of that Coast, tend greatly to strengthen that hypothesis. We were lately shown several large pieces of lignite from the Northern extremity of the Island, where the discoverers said it was obtainable in abundance. Last December, near Fort Rupert, a couple of traders in Indian goods (not connected with the company) discovered a vein of bituminous coal, nearly eight feet in thickness, cropping out close to the seashore. They brought specimens to town, and recorded—or attempted to do so—a pre-emption claim to the land on which it was situated. They have since returned to the spot for the purpose of working the vein when the weather will permit. The specimens of coal from the new vein sent us was yesterday examined by experts, who pronounced it a superior article to that at present obtained from the old veins. The price of coal at the mines is six and seven dollars per ton; and four vessels are waiting there for cargoes for the San Francisco market. The superiority of our coal over all others is established the length and breadth of the Pacific Coast, and if proper means are employed to encourage our growing trade in that resource, and infuse life and energy into the means adopted for its production, before two years have passed away we need not care a rush for the richest gold mines in the world.

THE CONDITION OF THE "FLORENCIA."—We yesterday received a letter from John A. Walten, residing at Ohies, Barclay Sound, who has examined the brig Florencia as she lies ashore in a small bay sheltered from all winds except from the west to northwest. Mr. Walten writes that her bottom is badly injured, and the water flows in and out with the tide. She lies deeply imbedded in the sand, and about half of her copper sheathing has been stripped off (probably by Indians). Her stern-post and planking at the keel are started; the heel seriously injured and plank-ends started. The rudder is broken and gone; the main-mast is standing and whole; fore-mast carried away at the mast-head. The worst injury she has sustained is from a rock under her starboard bilge, on which she grinds badly. All the seams on this side are open; and, on the whole, she is as near a perfect wreck as can be. In the cabin there is a notice signed by E. H. King, warning all persons from interfering with the wreck. An Indian has been left in charge by Mr. King. The letter concludes, "I fancy if the lawyers have to look to the wreck for their fees, that they won't get much out of her. She won't pay the expenses of getting her off, or Mr. King might find her in a safer place on his return to this part of the Island."

CAME TO BUY A WIFE.—Three canoes, containing about twenty Clallam Indians, arrived at the Songish Indian encampment yesterday. They sang and whooped like demons for half an hour in front of the lodges, and were finally invited ashore by one of the Songish chiefs. The object of the visit was to purchase the daughter of one of the Songishes for a Clallam youth, who had long sighed to possess her. We trust his suit may prove successful.

Arrival of the Santa Cruz.

The steamship Santa Cruz, Capt. Geo. Staples, arrived from Portland last evening. We are indebted to the Purser for files of Oregon papers to the 23d inst., only one day later than those brought by the Eliza Anderson. We find in them no later news.

The Santa Cruz left Portland on the 24th inst., but was detained four days in Baker's Bay by rough weather.

The Pacific had not arrived at Portland up to the time of the Santa Cruz leaving.

The report brought by the Oregon of the buying off of the Mail Company's steamships, is confirmed by this arrival. There will in future be but two steamers a month to this port.

The steamer Oregon, hence for San Francisco, crossed the Columbia River bar on Tuesday. She had a rough time in crossing, and her upper deck was swept away by a heavy sea. The two men at the wheel were washed away from it, but so far as we can learn no lives were lost.

A large vessel is reported ashore on Clackett beach, about 15 miles south of the Columbia river. She is supposed to be the Mary Ellen, from Honolulu, or the Leonese, from San Francisco.

PASSENGERS.

Mr. Haas, Mr. Mayn, Mr. Smith, and Mr. Magher.

CONSIGNEES.

L. Baum, Edgar & Aime, W. Irving, D. Linevoir, Sporborg & Co., . P ODwyer, Guild, David & Co., and St. Ours & Co.

ARRESTED ON SUSPICION OF MURDER.—Sergeant Blake last evening arrested a man named Bernard Donahue on suspicion of being one of the men who murdered the Stickeen squaw on last Sunday evening by wringing her neck. Donahue was known to have lived in the old house, in company with another man, up to Sunday night, when both suddenly disappeared. Blake met Donahue on Government street, and tracked him to the house, where he had built a fire and was warming himself when the officer entered and arrested him. The accused says he was drunk on last Sunday night and remembers nothing that happened. He was taken to the station-house and locked up. A man, answering to the description of Donahue's associate, is said to have endeavored to induce some boatmen to take him across the Straits in a sloop about four o'clock on Monday morning. It is now thought that the woman was first murdered in the house and her body afterwards carried to the bushes for the purpose of concealment. A rigid investigation will be made by the authorities.

ANOTHER CASE OF CONTEMPT OF COURT. A colored man, named Charles Sauley was yesterday morning arrested by the Sheriff and committed to jail for thirty days, on a commitment from the Supreme Judge. Some time ago a judgment was obtained against Sauley in the Supreme Court for fifty dollars, and the Court ordered him to pay the same in monthly installments of fifteen dollars per monts. He refused to do so, and hence his arrest on a charge of contempt in disregarding the order.

GONE AT LAST.—The wreck of the bark Nannette, on Tuesday afternoon, about 2 o'clock, glided from the rocks on which she so long rested into fifteen fathoms of water. Capt. Jones, of the schooner Carolena, who was engaged in wrecking, reports that she slid off slowly, and that no hopes are entertained of anything further being saved from her. In going down, her mizzen-mast was forced out. The Carolena returned to town on Wednesday, and brought up the mizzen-mast, some whitelead and other small articles.

BUILDING ALREADY.—A neat frame building is in course of erection on the ground lately leased by Governor Douglas at the northern extremity of James' Bridge. Several others are projected in the same neighborhood.

THE "EMILY HARRIS."—This new propeller made a trial trip to the mouth of the harbor yesterday. The machinery worked well, and the boat bids fair to prove a success. She will leave for Nanaimo this morning, at 10 o'clock.

☞ A small schooner of about 30 tons is under process of construction in the rear of Dougal & Sons' foundry. It is intended for the coasting trade.

TREASURE.—Wells, Fargo & Co., shipped by the Oregon on Sunday last, $30,387 in gold dust.

☞ The steamer Santa Cruz will leave to-day at 12 o'clock, M., for Portland. She will connect with the Pacific.

☞ The bark W. B. Scranton yesterday commenced discharging at St. Ours' wharf.

More about the Murder of Price.

Mr. Samuel H. Meyers, the Cayoosh Expressmen, under date of Cayoosh, February 19, 1861, sends us a fuller account of the manner in which the murder of Mr. M. Price was effected, and the arrest of the murderers, than we have before published. We give the substance of the confession of one of the Indians in custody. He says:

"I arrived in town from Fort Alexander on the 2d of February. I had not been long home, when I was approached by 'Dancing Blill' and another Indian named 'Charley,' who told me they wanted to kill a Boston man, and that they had him picked out. They said he had lots of money and if I helped them do the deed I should have a share of it. At first, I thought they were only joking, as I have often heard Indians say the same before and not mean it. However, finding them in earnest, I refused at first, and said: 'The Bostons will find it out and hang us.' Bill said—'No, we will kill him in a way that they will think a Boston man has done it, and Indians will not be blamed for it.' At last I consented, and Bill made us all strip naked near a creek and wrap our blankets around us. We then crawled up the bank and watched Price go to and come from his supper, about seven o'clock in the evening. As soon as he had returned to his store, Bill, Charley and I, walked into the store and asked for some article which he hadn't got. We talked to him in a friendly manner for a little time and he walked into his back room and sat down to write on a piece of paper. Bill walked in after him, and as Price was stooping over the table, caught him by the mouth to prevent him crying out, and called on Charley and I to help him. Charley ran into the back room, and held him down on the floor while Bill drew his knife across the Boston man's throat. I saw the blood spirt out as he did so, and heard a gurgling cry. The man struggled hard for a little while, but Charley raised his knife and stabbed him all over the body. The struggles soon ceased and Bill and Charley searched his pockets and found about $18 in silver in them. I took no part in the murder, but stood at the door looking on. We left the house and went to a creek near by, washed ourselves, put on our clothes, and went home. The same night Bill told Charley's wife that he had murdered a white man, and that Charley had helped him. Bill thought that his telling her would make her think that he was brave; but she got frightened and the next day told Constable Flynn, and Charley and I were arrested."

Acting upon this confession, the officers followed "Dancing Bill" to Canoe creek (where he was found helping some packers bound for Fort Alexander), arrested him and brought him back to Cayoosh, and he was locked up to await an examination.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, V. I.

ARRIVED.

Feb 28—Schr Growler, Barrington, Port Townsend
Sloop Siwash Mary, Beal, San Juan
Sloop Wild Duck, Preston, Port Townsend
Sloop Cadboro, Boyle, Sooke
Schr Carolena, Jones, Race Rocks

CLEARED.

Feb 18—Schr Sarah Newton, Byman, Port Townsend
Sloop Siwash Mary, Beale, San Juan
Canoe Elida, Reegan, New Westminster
Canoe Santa Cruz, Burnell, New Westminster
Canoe Garibaldi, Collins, New Westminster
Schr Sarah Newton, Byman, Port Townsend

IMPORTS.

Per Schr. GROWLER, from Port Townsend—50 bbls flour, 30,000 laths, 4,000 pickets, 5,000 flooring, 8,000 lumber, 200 sks feathers, 1 tr sugar, 1643 sacks pilot bread. F Master. Value, $745

Rheumatism!

PERMANENTLY CURED

BY DR. W. H. GOSS,

(Late of San Francisco,)

WHO TAKES PLEASURE IN ANnouncing to the inhabitants of Victoria and vicinity that he has located himself on Trounce street, near Government street, (opposite the Post Office,) where he is prepared to treat all species of diseases on the Reform principle of Medical Practice,

Minerals Never Being Used!

Dr. G's almost unlimited success, for years past, in treating all kinds of diseases, especially Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Dyspepsia, Inflammation and Chronic Diseases of the Kidneys, Liver, Lungs, etc., justify him in saying to the curable, HE CAN CURE THEM, and to the incurable, he can afford relief. Those who are suffering would do well to call and consult him.

In connection with his Establishment, he has erected the MEDICATED VAPOR AND ELECTRO-CHEMICAL BATHS, which purify the blood, improve the circulation, and equalize the nervous forces, by this means imparting universal warmth and strength to the entire system. They are an invaluable aid in the cure of Rheumatism and all Mercurial Affections.

☞ Consultation at all hours. fe23 1m

SPECIFIC BALSAM,

AN INFALLIBLE

AND

SPEEDY REMEDY

FOR ALL

Sores and Ulcers,

Either of a Specific or Inveterate character.

For sale by

CURTIS & MOORE.

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NESBITT & CO.,

Corner of Broad and Yates streets.

THE ABOVE MENTIONED FIRM having just received the latest and best machinery, are prepared to fill all orders for

PILOT BREAD,

NAVY BREAD,

SODA CRACKERS,

Sugar Crackers, Butter Crackers

PICNIC CRACKERS,

WATER CRACKERS,

At the shortest notice and most reasonable rates.

☞ A large and fresh assortment constantly on hand. fe21 1m

EX "ALMA," FROM LONDON:

100 CASES PALE MARTELL BRANDY;
100 cases Dark " "
10 casks U. V. Proprietors "
360 cases McKenzie's Old Tom;
10 casks Do. Do.;
150 cases Do. Scotch Whisky;
10 casks Do. Do.;
Port Wine, Rum Shrub, Burgundy, Brandy, etc.

For sale by WM. MUIR.

fe22 1m Langley street, off Yates.

FOR SALE.

500 BALES CALIFORNIA OAT HAY,
200 sacks Oats,
200 sacks Bran,

In lots to suit.

J. J. SOUTHGATE & Co.,

fe22 1m Wharf street.

VULCAN IRON WORKS COMPANY,

FIRST STREET,

San Francisco, California,

HAVING A LARGE STOCK OF PATterns on hand, are prepared to execute all kinds

OF CASTINGS

For Iron Fronts, Steamboat and Quartz-mill Machinery, etc.

Proprietors of Morse's Patent Fire Grates.

For further particulars inquire of R. Lewis, Builder, corner of Broughton and Government streets, Victoria, who is our authorized Agent for Vancouver Island and British Columbia. ja14 3m

SAN JUAN LIME,

ON HAND AND FOR SALE BY

PEASE & BOYCE,

fe5 1m Union Wharf.

Notice to Mariners.

ADMIRALTY HEAD, WHIDBY'S ISLAND,

WASHINGTON TERRITORY.

Information has been received at this Office from Lieutenant N. Michler, Corps of Topographical Engineers, of the completion of the Light-house at Admiralty Head, on Whidby's Island, Washington Territory.

The structure consists of a dwelling, with a tower rising through the roof at one end, both painted white; the tower is surmounted by an iron lantern, painted red.

The illuminating apparatus is catadioptric of the fourth order of the system of Fresnel, and will show a *fixed white light;* the arc of the horizon to be illuminated is 270°.

The following data are furnished:

Height of tower from base to Focal Plane, 41 feet.

Elevation of base of tower above mean level of sea, 78 feet.

Elevation of Focal Plane above mean level of sea, 119 feet.

Latitude, 49° 9′ 21.6″ North.

Longitude, 122° 40′ 8″ West.

Or, in Time, 8h. 10m. 40.5s.

From Point Wilson it bears N. E. by E. (magnetic), distant 3¼ miles.

From Marrowstone Point, N. by W. ¼ W. (magnetic), distant 3¼ miles.

From Point Partridge, S. E. by E. ¾ E. (magnetic), distant 5¼ miles.

From New Dungennes light, E. by N. ½ N. (magnetic), distant 11¾ miles.

Admiralty Head commands the New Dungenness light, but is shut out from Smith's (Blunt's) Island light by Point Partridge.

The magnetic variation was 21° 40′ East, in August, 1856, with a yearly increase of 1′ 4″.

This light will be exhibited, for the first time, on the night of the 25th January, 1861, and every night thereafter, from sunset to sunrise, until further notice. It should be visible in a favorable state of the atmosphere, from a height of fifteen feet above the water, at a distance of nineteen and a-half statute, or seventeen nautical miles.

By order of the Light-house Board.

WM. F. SMITH, Secretary.

Treasury Department, Office Light-house Board
WASHINGTON, Dec. 27, 1860.

Keating's Cough Lozenges

A SAFE AND CERTAIN REMEDY for Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, and other Affections of the Throat and Chest. In Incipient Consumption, Asthma, and Winter Cough they are unfailing. Being free from every hurtful ingredient, they may be taken by the most delicate female or the youngest child; while the public speaker and the professional singer will find them invaluable in allaying the hoarseness and irritation incidental to vocal exertion, and also a powerful auxiliary in the production of melodious enunciation.

Prepared and sold in Boxes and Tins, of various sizes, by Thomas Keating, Chemist, &c, No. 79, St. Paul's Church Yard, London. Sold retail by all Druggists and Patent Medicine Venders in the world.

N. B.—To prevent spurious imitations, please to observe the words "Keating's Cough Lozenges" are engraved on the Government Stamp of each Box without which none are genuine.

CURE OF ASTHMA OF SEVERAL YEARS' STANDING.

Cainscross, near Stroud, Gloucestershire.

SIR,—Having been troubled with Asthma for several years, I could find no relief from any medicine whatever, until I was induced about two years ago to try a Box of your valuable Lozenges, and found such relief from them that I am determined for the future never to be without a box of them in the house, and will do all in my power to recommend them to my friends.

If you consider the above testimonial of any advantage, you are quite at liberty to make what use of it you please.

I am, Sir, your most obliged servant,

W. J. TRIGG.

THOMAS KEATING, ESQ.

☞ Sold at Victoria, Vancouver Island, by Mr. W. M. Scarby, Pharmaceutical Chemist.

ja12 12t wy

Nanaimo Episcopal Church.

AT A PUBLIC MEETING HELD AT Nanaimo, V. I., on Feb. 8th, 1861, a committee consisting of Chas. S. Nicol, Manager, A. R. Benson, M. R. C. S., W. H. Franklyn, J. P., Peter Sebiston, and Rev. R. L. Lowe, was elected to consider the best method of raising funds to erect an Episcopal Church at Nanaimo, the want of which has been much felt.

The Committee earnestly appeal to the Christian public for their sympathy and aid.

Subscriptions will be thankfully received by the Lord Bishop of Columbia, T. J. Skinner, Esq., J. Trutch, Esq., Thos Harris, Esq., J. J. Cochrane, Esq., P. M. Backus, Esq., at Victoria; Colonel Moody, R. E., H. Holbrook, Esq., J. Scott, Esq., at New Westminster, B. C.; J. P. O'Reilly, Esq., High Sheriff, Hope; —Saunders, J. P. and G. C., at Yale; J. B. Gaggin, Esq., J. P., at Douglas; Thos. Elwyn, Esq., J. P., at Cayoosh; Capt. Ball, at Lytton; J. Haynes, Esq., at Rock Creek. fe27 1m

IMPERIAL
Fire Insurance Company,

1 Old Broad St., and 16 Pall Mall,

LONDON.

Capital------$8,000,000.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING BEEN appointed Agents in Victoria for the above old established Company, are now prepared to issue Policies Insuring against Fire.

Parties wishing to effect Insurance will be supplied with the necessary papers and information on application to

A. R. GREEN & CO.,
Wharf street.

Victoria, V. I., Feb. 27, 1861. fe27 1m

Victoria Coal Company.

COAL AND WOOD.

THE PRICE OF COAL IN QUANTIties of One Ton and upwards, including drayage and porterage, will from this date be ELEVEN DOLLARS PER TON.

JOHN T. LITTLE & CO., Agents,
City Wharf, foot of Yates street.

Victoria, Oct. 3d, 1860. ja3 1m 2p

Hotel and Restaurant,

MINERS' EXCHANGE,

Waddington Alley, bet. Johnson and Yates streets,

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Board and Lodging (per week).....$6 and $7
Board.....$5
Meals at all hours.....50 cents

The subscriber would notify his friends and the public that he has refitted and furnished the above Establishment, and can now offer a comfortable home to those visiting this Colony.

JOSEPH M. MORRAIS,
ja31 3mw An Old Californian.

Lumber, Lime, Building Stone

BRICK, &C.

20 M FT. ASSORTED RED WOOD LUMBER,
20 M ft. T and G. Flooring,
10 M ft. Cedar,
200 bbls V. I. Lime,
100 tons Salt Spring Building Stone,
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For Sale by

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Matting! Matting

A. HOFFMAN

Corner of Yates and Government streets,

HAVE NOW ON HAND, AND OFFER for sale, in lots to suit purchasers, (RETAIL and WHOLESALE,) 6-4, 5-4 and 4-4 Checked, White and Figured MATTING. ja31 1m2dp

Blacksmiths' Coals.

30 TONS BEST NEWCASTLE, (ENGlish,) equal to Cumberland. For sale in lots to suit, at $18 per ton.

E. COKER

Victoria, V. I., Jan. 30, 1861. ja31 1m

MISCELLANEOUS.

Valuable Property for Sale,

—AT—

FORT PEMBERTON

ON THE

HARRISON-LILLOOET ROUTE,

Known as the

HALF-WAY HOUSE,

Situated between Anderson and Lillooet Lakes, immediately on the Road, consisting of a

Ranch of 320 Acres fine Farming Land.

THERE ARE SITUATED ON THE property one large two-story House and kitchen together with a Barn capable of storing 75 to 100 tons of hay, and accommodations for 75 animals; also, Warehouse for storing goods. The grass is blue-top, and makes the best hay in the market. The Ranch is fenced in.

There are a pair of good plough horses, 75 hogs, 100 chickens, besides sundry other stock.

The place is offered for sale, with or without the stock, as the purchaser may desire, cheap for cash.

Address,

J. HUGHES & CO.,
On the premises.

Or, EDGAR & AIME,
fe7 1m Wharf st., Victoria.

Important Land Sale

OF

DESIRABLE PROPERTY

ON

ESQUIMALT HARBOR.

JOHN J. COCHRANE, AUCTIONEER, is instructed to sell on

APRIL 2d, 1861,

The Valuable Mercantile Property

Section Number 3, on Esquimalt Harbor, extending back to the "Arm," with upwards of one-quarter of a mile of water frontage on each, with deep water close in shore, in a more sheltered position than Constance Cove, and in the heaviest gale so protected that vessels can lie alongside a wharf with safety. Part of the frontage is very well adapted for a Dry Dock, and also a Patent Slip.

The Road from Victoria passes through the centre of the Property. The proposed Naval Depot and Barracks are in the immediate vicinity, and the proposed Canal uniting the two Harbors adjoins the Boundary.

The value of this Property is much enhanced, from the fact of the Imperial Government selecting this portion of the Harbor for Government Works, which are to be immediately commenced. The Property has been divided into various sized Lots, to suit the nature and importance of the ground, and will be offered at the upset price of $150 each.

TERMS OF SALE.

1st. Twenty-five per cent. of the purchase money to be paid upon the day of sale, and the balance thereon at any time within two years of the day of sale, with one per cent. interest thereon, payable quarterly. 2½ per cent. discount will be allowed on purchases paid in full on day of sale.

2d. All taxes and assessments which shall be imposed upon it in respect of the lands sold, must be paid when due by the purchaser.

3d. Failing compliance with each and all of the above conditions, all previous partial payments will be forfeited, and the land will revert to the present holder.

Plans to be seen at the Office of the Auctioneer, Government street. fe1

Bark Nanette.

NOTICE.

MR. JAS. LOWE AND MR. A. F. MAIN are authorised by me to act in the settlement of all accounts connected with the wrecked bark Nanette. Consignees are respectfully requested to furnish these gentlemen with any information in the shape of copies of Invoices, or otherwise tending towards the identification of the propietorship of opened packages that have been sold.

ALEX'R. C. ANDERSON,
fe16 tf Agent for Lloyds'.

THE WORLD'S FRIEND!

Holloway's Ointment.

A Cure for Piles and Fistulas.

Inflammation of sensitive parts, piles, fistulas, and such like painful diseases may be presently relieved, and ultimately cured, by the proper and diligent use of this cooling and healing Ointment, whose action should, in such cases, be assisted by judicious doses of Pills: ere many days have elapsed the anxious patient will experience a wonderful degree of ease from this treatment. They are equally suitable to both sexes, and all ages.

Coughs, Colds, and Asthma.

These complaints of the chest come on with alarming frequency. The Ointment should assiduously be rubbed at least twice a day on the chest and between the shoulders, when the violence of all symptoms will gradually give way, the breathing become longer, and the oppression less. No medicines are more efficient in chest complaints, none can be used with equal safety and certainty. Both Pills and Ointment are accompanied by very clear and simple directions for using them.

A Man who refused to have his Leg off.

"*From the Kilrush Advertiser, June 2nd,* 1860."

BENJAMIN COX, Esquire, Magistrate, said in the Board Room at Kilrush, that he knew a man who had been in the Infirmary and was actually turned out as incurable, on his way home to Kilrush, he purchased at Lynes, Holloway's Pills and Ointment, for, as he said, it could not be worse with him. This man, said Mr. Cox, became by their use as sound and as healthy as any man in the room. These celebrated Pills and Ointment will cure any wound, sore, or ulcer, however long standing, if properly used according to the printed directions.

Gout and Rheumatism.

The essence of these diseases lie in the blood, which has, floating through each vessel, the pain-giving poison, which irritates and inflames every tissue it comes in contact with, and produces the hot, swollen, elastic enlargement about the joints so characteristic of gouty diseases. The philosophy of cure consists in overcoming this depravity in the blood, which is rapidly purified by the use of the Pills. The Ointment, when rubbed upon the skin, penetrates the system through the pores, acts in unison with the Pills, and soon effects a cure.

Dropsy, Swollen Legs or Ankles.

The various kinds of dropsies, whether windy or watery, arise from some obstruction to the free circulation though the blood vessels or lymphatics, or depend on the inflamed state of some secreting surface. Holloway's remedies, of which the efficacy cannot be exaggerated, act directly upon the blood, the absorbents and secretions, with a power that no dropsy however inveterate, can long resist. They regulate the proper flow of blood to every organ, and purify it likewise,—they filter out everything that is morbid or injurious,—they thoroughly regenerate every function, yet potent as they are for good, they are powerless for evil. They do not contain mercury or any noxious substances. They act safely and certainly.

Bad Legs, Bad Breasts, and Old Ulcers.

This invaluable Ointment was never known to fail in the cure of any wound, any sore, or any ulcer,—as can be proved by innumerable testimonials from persons who had been discharged from Hospitals as incurable, and yet by perseverance they have been made as sound as they were the day they were born, by this incomparable Ointment. For pimples, blotches, scald heads, and scorbutic humours, it is equally efficacious.

Both the Ointment and Pills should be used in the following cases:

Bad Legs	Chilego-foot	Fistulas	Sore-throats
Bad Breasts	Chilblains	Gout	Skin-diseases
Burns	Chapped Hands	Glandular	Scurvy
Bunions	Corns (Soft)	Swellings	Sore-heads
Bite of Mosquitoes and	Cancers	Lumbago	Tumours
Sand-Flies	Contracted and	Piles	Ulcers
Coco-bay	Stiff Joints	Rheumatism	Wounds
Scalds	Elephantiasis		Yaws
			Sore Nipples

☞ There is a considerable saving by taking the larger sizes.

N. B.—Directions for the guidance of patients in every disorder are affixed to each Pot. nl3

☞ CURTIS & MOORE, Sole Agents for Vancouver Island. de4

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Cor. of Government and Humboldt Sts.

WINES, LIQUORS, ALE and PORTER of the best description and most reasonable terms, always on hand. Lunch on table from 10 A. M. until 2 P. M.

☞ Call and try our Hennessys' Brandy, Swaine, Boord & Co.'s Old Tom, and Bass No. 3 Ale. They cannot be beat in the market. fe18 3m

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8 QR. CASKS PALE SHERRY,
8 qr casks superior Port,
4 qr casks Andran & Cie pale Brandy,
50 cases Alex. Lespiant pale Brandy, 1 doz each
77 cases Vieux Cognac pale Brandy, 1 doz each
25 cases B. Frere's superior old pale Brandy, 1 doz each
50 cases Duckworth & Co.'s finest Jamaica Rum, 1 doz each
20 cases Duckworth & Co.'s superior pale Sherry, 1 doz each
10 cases Duckworth & Co.'s old Port, 1 doz each
30 cases Venoge & Cie fine pale Champagne, 1 doz each
10 cases Gerothwohl & Cie's first quality sparkling Hock
10 cases Gerothwohl & Cie's first quality sparkling Moselle
200 green cases, each 2 gallons finest Holland Geneva
500 long flint Guns,
500 cases Booth & Co.'s No 1 Old Tom,
6 frames Asphaltic Roofing Felt,
4 frames Brown Sheathing Felt.

Ex. "R. W. WOOD," FROM HONGKONG.

3480 bags No 1 China Rice,
154 bags Manila Coffee,
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80 cases fine black Pepper
50 boxes tin Plates,
128 coils Manila Rope,
18 cases 22 and 24 oz Muntz Metal,
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SAMUEL PRICE & CO.,
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CENTURY WHISKY,

Put up in extra Barrels and Half Barrels.

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In handsome Glass Jugs, one dozen in a case.

MY TWO ABOVE BRANDS OF CHOICEST Old Rye Whisky stand unrivalled for purity and high flavor, and will be found far superior to any heretofore shipped to California

Having now an Agency in San Francisco, my pure Whiskies will be for sale by Dealers throughout California.

☞ I warrant none shipped under Four Years old.

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(Representing 11 Companies.)

McLEAN & FOWLER, Agents.....San Francisco.

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Is now prepared to Issue, in Open Policies,

Cargo, Freight and Treasure.

From Victoria and New Westminster to Ports on Columbia River and vice versa
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The Trade Supplied.

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Foot of Johnson st., near the Bridge,
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A NEW STEAMBOAT HULL, NOW ON the stocks in Scorgie & Lang's building yard. is 69 feet long, with 14 feet beam; model same as steamer "Fort Yale." Finished in the most careful manner.

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FOR SALE.

750 GALLONS CAMPHENE, IN LOTS to suit.

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NOTARY PUBLIC.

MR. DRAKE, 63 GOVERNMENT Street has received the appointment of Notary Public for these Colonies. fe25 2m

HOTELS AND SALOONS.

Metropolitan Lodging House,

YATES STREET,

One door above the British-American Hotel,

VICTORIA.

MRS. H. EMMEL, HAVING LEASED the above premises, and fitted them up in a first class style as a Lodging-house, is now prepared to receive Lodgers.

NEW FURNITURE AND BEDDING.

Furnished Rooms to let. Lodgings by the night or by the week, at a reasonable price. fe28 1m*

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—AND—

COFFEE SALOON,

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MEALS FURNISHED at ALL HOURS on the shortest notice and best style.

THE FINEST WINES, PORTER, ALE

—AND—

SEGARS,

fe21 1m

RINGO'S HOTEL,

Yates Street, Victoria, V. I.

RINGO TAKES THIS METHOD OF thanking his friends and the public, for their liberal patronage during the past two years, and would state that he has removed to the building lately occupied by N. Moore & Co, which he has fitted up in the very best style, that he can now offer large, airy, and commodious bedrooms to the travelling public.

The table will always be furnished with all the delicacies that the market affords.

Ringo hopes by close attention to business and to the comfort of his patrons to meet a continuance of their favor.

N. B. SUPPERS AND DINNERS FOR Balls and Parties contracted for, and warranted to give satisfaction. fe15 3m

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Hotel International,

Jackson street, a few doors above Montgomery st.,

SAN FRANCISCO,

FOSTER, PATTEN & CO., (SUCCESSORS to J. J. Haley,) Proprietors.

Having purchased the interest of Mr. Haley in this well known Hotel, the subscribers beg to say to the old patrons of the house and the public generally, that they have made many alterations and improvements, and refurnished and renovated the house throughout in the most thorough manner, and have added an elegant private hall for the entrance of ladies, and are determined that in the future the house shall possess all the requisites of a FIRST CLASS HOTEL in every particular.

Our Mr. Patten has been bookkeeper of the house for the past two years, and Mr. Foster has been connected with the ocean steamers of this coast for the past eight years as purser, and cheerfully offers his services to families and others in procuring steamer passage, in advance of their arrival here.

NO ADVANCE IN PRICES Coaches of the Hotel always in readiness.

ja23 3m FOSTER, PATTEN & CO.

ASSAY OFFICE.

MARCHAND & CO.,

Respectfully announce to the public of

VICTORIA AND BRITISH COLUMBIA

that they have opened their new office for the

ASSAYING OF GOLD, SILVER,

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And are now fully prepared to make all Assays entrusted to them with

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Returns made in from 3 to 6 hours in bar or coin at the option of the depositor.

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OFFICE—In the building formerly occupied by McDonald & Co., No. 8, Yates street, Victoria fe10 1m

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Wheelwright and Blacksmith,

PARK ST., Opposite Catholic Chapel,

VICTORIA, V. I.

Wagons and Carts always on hand and made to order. ☞ All kinds of Jobbing and Repairing attended to. fe19 6m.

Havana Cigars.

LATEST IMPORTATION.

FIGARO,	Regalia	Britanica.
General Scott	do	do
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La Victoria	do	do
La Flor de Lopez & Torre	do	do
La Riqueza Cubana	do	do
La Verdi,	Regalia	Esparteros
El Sultan	do	do
La Villa a de Gijon,	Regalia	de Londres.
La Urania	do	do
La Viuda de Garcia,		Cigaritos.

For sale in lots to suit, by

G. V GNOLO,
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REMOVAL.

C. VEREYDHEN,

Contractor and Builder,

Has removed his Office to the Brick Building

Corner of Douglas and Fort streets, upstairs,

AND IS PREPARED TO CONTRACT for or superintend the erection of Brick or Frame Buildings of any kind or style.

Parties who intend to build will do well to call and plans will be shown for brick stores or dwelings which can be erected at a trifling cost over that of a wooden building

Plans and drawings of every style and specifications made at the shortest notice. fe27 1m

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HYPPOLITE BANEL, BARBER AND Hair Dresser, has just opened these new baths and is ready to accomodate the public.

Sulphuric, Vapor Baths, &c., &c.

PERFUMERY of all descriptions, and all ornamental Hair Work made at the shortest notice and in the Parisian style.

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J. W. TRIPP & CO.,

Dealers in Oregon Produce,

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BEES,

Fruit Trees & Shrubbery,

Of all kinds, selected expressly for this market from the best Nurseries in Oregon. fe9 1m

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L. A. BLANC,

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ON HAND—A FINE ASSORTment of Watches, Clocks and Jewelry.

Particular attention paid to the Manufacture of Watch Cases, Diamond and Quartz Work, and all other kinds of Jewelry made to order and repaired at shortest notice. n23 6m

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